

### EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

2. The application has been amended as follows:

a. In the specification at claim 3 the dependency of claim 3 has been changed from claim 3 to claim 2 since a claim cannot depend upon itself and the "said reference point" was originally set forth in claim 2.

b. This application is in condition for allowance except for the presence of claims 13-27 and 36-38 to inventions non-elected without traverse. Accordingly, claims 13-27 and 36-38 been cancelled.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Christopher W. Fulton whose telephone number is (571) 272-2242. The examiner can normally be reached on M-Th 5:30-3:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Diego F.F. Gutierrez can be reached on (571) 272-2245. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.